# M.PHILIPSBORN & CQ

### Final Reductions.

### Pre-Inventory Sale.

Tomorrow, Tuesday and Wednesday are the last three days before the final count.

On the first of February we take inventory, and one of the important considerations is to have as little stock as possible. Therefore these next three days will see the greatest bargain

We are not stopping for profits now, not even the costs in many cases. It's a simple case of sweeping out all winter stock at the price that will bring the quickest action-and you are always the gainer. Plenty of wintry weather yet to come, and these garments will surely come in handy.

#### Tailored Suits.

\$15.00 for Broadcloth and Cheviot Suits, black and all colors, with 52-inch coats; former prices up to \$35.

\$17.50 for Short Eton Suits, all colors, broadcloth and cheviot; former prices up to \$35.

\$19.75 for Eton and Pony Suits of broadcloth, lined with Skinner's satin and trimmed with braid; regular value, \$32. Black and navy.

for our very fine Suits formerly selling to \$65, including long and short models of velvet, broadcloth, cheviot and mixtures.

### Gowns.

\$30.00 for choice of 19 costumes, various new models, in all colors; values up to \$65.

\$49.75 for choice 23 beautiful gowns, all colors; regular prices up to \$110.

### Coats.

\$5.00 for odd lot of 37 Short Covert Jackets and Long Mixture Coats; regular prices \$12 and \$15.

for Tailored Jackets of broadcloth and covert, and Long Coats of covert and tweed, formerly selling to

\$10.95 for Tailored 52-inch Long Coats, tight fitting, of broadcloth and covert; regular price, \$18.

\$14.75 for 193 Coats, including a few lined with squirrel, representing nine-tenths of our entire stock formerly selling at \$22, \$25, \$30 and \$35. Long garments in fitted, semi-fitted and loose styles, of finest broadcloth, covert, homespun and tweed mixtures.

\$9.00 for the Raincoats formerly selling to \$18.50; \$14.75 for those formerly \$22, \$25 and \$30.

### Waists.

95c. for Waists formerly to \$2, including some very desirable lingeric styles of white lawn.

\$1.50 for Tailored Waists of madras, veiling and brillianfor Tailored Waists of madras, veiling and brillian-tine; white, black and colors; formerly selling to \$4.

\$1.95 for White Lingerie Waists, including regular stock up to \$3.50, and spring 1906 samples from makers of "Griffon" and "Knickerbocker" brands.

\$7.95 for very fine Waists of batiste, handkerchief linen and mull, many embroidered by hand, representing values up to \$25. Spring 1906 samples.

# Skirts.

\$4.95 for choice of 419 Skirts of various sorts; black, plain colors and mixtures; former prices to \$10.

\$7.95 for choice of 77 Skirts, various styles, sold up to \$15.

mobile. It was a ponderously big machine, all red and brass, and the chauffeur had crawled under and out from between its wheels often enough to attract the usual crowd. A man inside had the red leather cushions all to himself, and to the buzz of impromptu suggestions from people who knew nothing whatever about automobiles neither he nor the chauffeur paid the slightest attention. About the time the situation had reached a demoralizing stage an unkempt man of the out-of-a-job type, who was sauntering aimlessly by, stopped long enough to see how things were going, and then nudged through the crowd to the chauffeur's side.

"Is your so-and-so all right?" he asked. with a directness that showed his knowledge of cogs and wheels.

"Certainly," snapped the chauffeur. "And your so-and-so in good gear?"

"Of course!" "Then you better let me take a look un-

"I can attend to my own business. You go about yours-if you've got any!"
"We can't afford to get huffy, Jim," reminded the man in the automobile. "Go ahead, old man, and see if you can set us spinning. The "old man"-he was about twentysix-crawled under the red and brass, stayed there about two minutes and then

crawled out "You're all right-s'long."
"Hold on!" called the owner as the outof-a-job man sauntered off. "Don't you
want to be paid for your work?"

Evidently he did not, for he even has-tened his steps a bit. Then the chauffeur got in and the machine flashed around Dupont Circle.
"That fellow's a machinist, all right,"

said one man in the crowd to another. "I feel sorry for that chauffeur when his boss gets through with him."

You needn't waste any sympathy on the chauffeur. He may never learn his business, but will be holding down his job long after that poor devil has gone to the dogs. And both turned to look after the un-kempt man who was said to be taking his way dogward because of the loose screw in his own gear that nature had failed to put in working order.

A donkey in a crate is enough to attract attention any day in the year, especially on a mild afternoon when the streets are full of people. The crate stood on the pavement in front of an express office and the shaggy little beast inside accepted his position as philosophically as if it was quite the usual thing to be boxed in by pine

"Ketch onter de c'nary in de cage!"
yelled out a small rag-tag boy, presumably
to any one who would listen, as he was "This isn't a canary bird," explained another boy, a neat little fellow who showed for his mamma's good care. "This is a

pony."

And the look of pitying scorn on the face of the rag-tag boy brought a round of taughter that would have done credit to Frank Daniels.

A man of affairs-you can always pick him out by his dress, walk and expression-was hurrying along the State De-

AROUND THE CITY to by a very little boy-such a little that he wore a "frock" and talked with that he wore a "frock" and talked with a

> "I picked him up and he wont go," child, as confidingly as if the man of affairs had been his own father. "I want on to make him go-far. To be requested to make a dead bird fly

baby lisp. In his outstretched hand lay

s too much to ask of any man of affairs. "Throw that thing in the street!" he an-wered, slowing up a bit. "Can't you see t's dead? How do you suppose I can make go?"
"Wine him up wif a key," explained the

Perhaps he was an unfortunate man who knew more about affairs than he did of lit-tle children and clock toys, for he just grunted as he hurried on.

And perhaps, again, he would have been

ashamed of his surliness if he had turned to look back at the tiny boy and his bird. It isn't a particularly noble achievement bring tears to a little child's eyes-not even for a man of affairs.

#### Entertainment for the Blind. The following is the program for volun-

teer readings and music in the reading room for the blind at the Library of Congress the coming week: Tuesday-Reading by Miss Gradwell of

Thursday-Piano recital by Miss Carolyn Friday-Dramatic sketch, "Cinders," by Miss Julia H. Chadwick and Mr. Gilbert Heron Miller; also vocal solos by Miss Adele Wolff of Chicago.

Saturday-Reading by Prof. J. W. Pick-The door to the reading room will be closed promptly at 2:30 p.m., and will be opened thereafter only between the num-bers on the program.

## Old-Time Minstrel Show.

The members of the Men's Association o Trinity Protestant Episcopal Church gave an old-time minstrel show Friday evening in Trinity Parish Hall, 2d street and Indiand the efforts of the entertainers were heartly applauded. Those who participated were Messrs. D. D. Helm, jr., J. B. Leavitt, J. W. Whalen, M. J. Bailey, M. Steamer and L. M. Hurdle. At the close of the minstrei performance a humorous sketch entitled "A Put-up Job" was given by Messrs. Whalen Foster and Williams.

The funeral of William L. White, who died Tuesday at the home of his daughdied Tuesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Burgess, on Nichols avenue, Anacostia, near the Government Hospital for the Insane, was held from the Burgess residence, where the deceased had made his home. Mr. White was sixty-four years of age and was a well-known resident of the Anacostia section. Several children survive him, one of whom, Charles, is connected with the Congress Heights fire department. Rev. William L. Orem, the pastor of the Congress Heights Methodist Episcopal Church, conducted the funeral services. The interment was in Congressional cemetery.

Mr. James Mulloy, an elderly resident of this city, died at an early hour vesterday morning at his residence, 1901 8th street. The deceased was ninety-three years of age. The funeral is to be held from the 8th street house at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The interment will be in Glen-

# SOCIETY IN THE NATIONAL CAPITAL AND ELSEWHERE

EXT week will be gayer than last, as four large evening affairs are on the schedule. The White House dinner Monday will be followed by a musicale, when the seating capacity of the east room has limited the invitations. Wednesday night the second of the bachelors' cotillons will be danced at the New Willard, Thursday night the congressional reception will be held at the White House and Saturday night the Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks will entertain at a reception to meet the members

of the Senate and families. Saturday afternoon the juvenile fancy dress ball at Mrs. Richardson Clover's will interest not only the participants, but the friends of the hostess, who are welcomed to help her in the entertainment of the young people

Some of the dinner hosts and hostesses of the week will be the Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks, the Postmaster General and Mrs. Cortelyou, who will entertain for the President and Mrs. Roosevelt; Mr. John W. Foster, the Argentine minister; Senw. Foster, the Argentine minister, Sen-ator and Mrs. Elkins, Gen. and Mrs. San-ger and Capt. and Mrs. Kimball. Pros-pective hostesses of luncheons will be Mrs. Snaw, Mrs. Cortelyou, who has invited a company to meet Miss Carow; Mrs. Charles E. Foster, Mrs. Burrows, Mrs. Victor Kauff-mann, Mrs. Ross Perry and Mrs. Lyman

Miss Roosevelt, who went to Philadelphia yesterday to stay over today with the Lioyd C. Griscoms at "Dolobran," their Lloyd C. Griscoms at "Dolobran," their suburban place, has, with the frequent functions on the cards for the next fortnight at the White House, very little leisure to give to anything outside of it, until her wedding day. It is suggested that the precedent established on the night of President Cleveland's marriage be followed at Miss Roosevelt's, in having all the church and fire belis and steam whistles announce the noon hour Saturday, February 17, by as harmonious and as prolonged a medley as harmonious and as prolonged a medley of sound as would be an appropriate expression of local participation in the event. There will be only a few invited to the ceremony who will be in a position to actually see it, as naturally the first places will be reserved for the relatives, ambassadors, the higher officials, etc., so the great pleasure of being in the east room will be to congratulate the happy couple afterward. Unless the unofficial announcements are wrong there will be no bridesmalds, so that wrong there will be no bridesmaids, so that there will be nobody to distract the atten-tion which is due the bride. Take it all in all, those intrusted with the arrangements have kept their part of the program faith; fully, and little or any reliable information has leaked out or has been in print apart from that given out at the White House at has leaked out or has been in print apart from that given out at the White House at regular intervals. If the same good luck from their point of view continues the remaining details of the wedding will be actually news the day of the happy event.

A great many persons would forego attendance at the wedding if they could see the wedding gifts. Every day adds to their value and splendor until no royal princess could be better or more magnificently remembered by friends the world over than has Miss Roosevelt. Now that the invita-

has Miss Roosevelt. Now that the invita-tions are out the daily accumulation will be tenfold what it has been in the last fort-The members of the Chinese commission spent the late afternoon yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Fester, being desirous of paying their respects to the latter, whose mourning retirement this the latter, whose mourning retirement this winter has prevented her entertaining in a more formal way for the visitors. Mrs. Foster had the Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks receiving with her. Among the other assistants of the afternoon were Mrs. Charles Denby, Miss Williams, Miss McMillan, Miss Ida Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Henderson, jr., and Miss Boardman, all of whom have been in China.

The rooms were decorated with Chinese liles and in the dining room the tea table, where Miss Boardman presided, had in the center a tall vase filled with American Beauty roses. The occasion was an extremely pleasant one, the special guests of the afternoon finding many treasures from their own country in the adornment of the music room where they were received,

Mr. and Mrs. Larz Anderson, in addition to having the most sumptuous home at the capital, have had also the distinction of having given the prettiest ball of the winter. Their dance on the 20th was small and early in name and in fact, since only sixty were present, and being Saturday night was over in good season. As the guests, among whom were Miss Roosevelt and Mr. Longworth, passed up and down the splendid staircases to the the ball room the scene is described as an ideal one. Unfortunately for the hundreds of Washington society who would love to see the inside of this modern palace, of which its owners are entirely satisfied, except that they find it too spacious, their entertaining is not on so larage a scale, as regards not on so larage a numbers, as other residents of the same section. However, the Andersons have invitations out for a musicale Monday even-ing, February 5, at 10:30, which may be larger than they have given heretofore,

Mrs. Dewey, wife of Admiral Dewey, who was compelled to give up her Monday re-ceptions by repeated attacks of bronchitis. is now well on the road to convalescence and goes out every fine morning. She has had no part at all in social affairs this winter, nor does she contemplate any such pleasure in the near future. The appearance of the admiral at any function is the signal for inquiries on every side for the charming wife, who is greatly missed by her friends as well as society in general.

Senator Kean and Miss Kean have inviations out for Friday evening, February 16, at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Bates will give a dinner of sixty guests at Rauscher's February 14, the even-ing of the charity ball at the New Wil-

Senator and Mrs. Bulkeley entertained at dinner last night in honor of the Vice Pres-ident and Mrs. Fairbanks. In the company to meet them were the Secretary of Com-merce and Labor and Mrs. Metcalf, Senator Warren, Senator Kean, Miss Kean, Senator Crane, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sloat Fassett, Mrs. Cowles, Gen. and Mrs. Bates, Miss May Williams, Miss Chabot, Miss Helen Squire, Mr. Herbert Knox Smith and Capt. Faison, U. S. A.

Miss Mattis, niece of Representative Wm. B. McKinley of Illinois, will not receive until Tuesday, February 6.

The following extract from a private le ter from a missionary, Mrs. Welborn, in Seoul, Korea, has an interesting paragraph; "My letter is already so long, but must mention the garden party given at the United States legation in honor of Miss Alice Roosevelt. To this the missionaries were invited, and you can imagine how trunks were ransacked for the wherewithal to be clothed. We nearly all wore simple white, and think we did credit to our church and 'home boards'-for all were tastefully attired and the latest comers still in present fashion.

"Miss Roosevelt was beautifully but not extravagantly dressed, and was so uncon-ventional, so like home friends, we had a ventional, so like home friends, we had a most delightful evening, when we feared a formal function. All the American and English were invited, also the different le-gations. Next day a lawn party in her honor was given to meet the foreign mis-sionaries only. The king sent the royal guards to escort her to Fusan. At this is-land city they attracted as much attention

Mrs. Willoughby Sprigg Chesley will at home Saturdays, February 3 and 10, and will be assisted by her sister, Mrs. Charles W. Hendley of Baltimore.

Mrs. Chester I. Long will receive Thursday, February I, assisted by the ladles of the Kansas congressional delegation, Mrs. J. M. Miller, Mrs. Chas. Curtis, Mrs. Chas. Scott, Mrs. J. D. Bowersock, Mrs. P. R. Campbell, Mrs. W. A. Reeder and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Grandin are spending the winter at San Antonio, Tex., and will not return to Washington this year.

Mrs. John B. Randolph of 1715 Corcoran street left yesterday for St. Augustine, Fla., where she will be the guest of Mrs. M. H.

will be at home to their friends, informally, Wednesdays, at 1309 Park road (formerly Whitney avenue).

Mrs. John Tileston Granger again charmingly entertained at a tea yesterday when her spacious home on Connecticut avenue was beautifully adorned with flowers, and the hostess was assisted by Mrs. Hobert J. Wynne, Mrs. Charles Sturtevant, Mrs. Frederick Gray, Miss Margaret Woodward and Miss Hume.

Mrs. Phetus Sims, wife of Representative Sims of Tennessee, will receive Tuesday, January 30, from 3 to 6, at her residence, 1410 Massachusetts avenue. Mrs. Sims will be assisted by her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Sims, Mrs. James T. Lloyd and Mrs. Dorsey Shackleford, both of Missouri.

Mrs. David J. Brewer will not rece.ve to-

Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Vierbuchen of 410
16th street northeast had as their guests
last Wednesday evening the following
members of the XVI Euchre Club: Misses
Estelle Burke, Naomi Bradburn. Mabel
Poston, Clare Martin, Edith Rabbitt, Inez
Stalov, and Messre. Charlie Chambers, John Staley, and Messrs. Charile Chambers, John Dunn, Harry Kern, Clifford E. Kettler. Robert Lewis and E. Clarence Poston. Progressive euchre constituted the main feature of the evening's entertainment. After some very closely contested games the prizes were finally presented games the prizes were finally presented to Mrs. Vierbuchen, Miss Estelle Burke, Mr. Clarence Poston and Mr. Clifford Kettler. As a consolation for the strenuous efforts which they made for the first prizes, "booby favors" were given to Miss Clare Martin and Mr. Harry Kern, Following Martin and Mr. Harry Kern. Following the euchre the guests were escorted to the dining room, where they were served by the hostess with a very dainty supper, after the hostess with a very dainty supper, after which they adjourned to the parlor, where Miss Bradburn rendered a number of selections on the piano and Mr. John Dunn sang a few comical and sentimental songs. Dancing closed the evening. The next regular meeting of the XVI Club will be held on February 7 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mitchell. 13 U street northwest.

Mrs. Harper of 16th street will not be at home until Monday, February 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney will mr. and mrs. Harry rayne witting win give a dance tomorrow night in honor of Miss Dorothy Whitney, when their new ball room will be thrown open for the dirst time. Miss Whitney on her next trip abroad will visit her sister, Mrs. Almeric Paget, who is deep in politics while her husband is working for an election to par-

Mrs. Miller, wife of Representative J. M. Miller of Kansas, entertained at a pretty luncheon last Tuesday. The floral decora-tions were carnations. In the party were Miss Annie Pauline Moore, Miss Dollie Curtis Mrs., Bishoff, Mrs. Lewis, Miss Macmillan, Mrs. Moffit, Mrs. J. J. Richardson and Mrs. Wheatley.

Representative and Mrs. Miller gave a dinner Wednesday. Those present around the rose-decked table were Representative Charles Curtis and wife of Kansas, Representative and Mrs. Philip Campbell. Representative and Mrs. Charles F. Scott, Representative William Calderhead and sister, Mrs. Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Ryan.

Mrs. Miller will receive for the first time on Tuesday at her home, 3213 13th street, assisted by Mrs. Campbell of Kansas and

Miss Lola Tillman, daughter of Senator Tillman of South Carolina, has returned to the city, to spend the rest of the congressional season with her parents at the Colo-nial Hotel. Miss Tiliman is a talented musician, and is contemplating a trip to Ger-many to continue her study of music and

Mrs. Grason Carter of N street northwest gave a card party last Thursday evening 'n honor of Mr. and Mrs. Posey, who have late-ly returned from their wedding tour in the Miss Janette Moore of 942 O street north

west gave a birthday party last wcck. Games were played. Some of those present vere Lillian Miller, Lenora Nelson, Myrtle Stone, Francis Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Althouse and others. Mrs. Frank A. Wolff gave a delightful tea Wednesday. The ladies assisting were Mrs Hodgkin, Mrs. Earnest, Mrs. Holcombe, Mrs. Woodruff, Miss Marshall and Miss Wil-

kinson. Mrs. Wolff will receive the Wednesdays in February. Mr. and Mrs. S. Breslauer celebrated their crystal anniversary at their home, 1326 8th street northwest, last Sunday evening. The house was tastefully decorated in red and green, and the couple received many beautiful gifts from their relatives and large circle of friends. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ad Hamburger Mr. and Mrs. A. Meyer, Mr. M. De Be Miss Mollie De Beer and Mr. J. Stansberg

of Baltimore. Mrs. Stockton Heth, with her daughters Misses Virginia Heth and Pickett Heth, were at home Wednesday, from 4 to 6 o'clock, to a large company of official and resident Washington. They were assisted in receiving by the Baroness von Leistner, Mrs. Earl Ivan Brown, Mrs. Colin Campbell

and Mrs. Chester I. Long. A pleasant birthday party was given by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Prince to their little daughter Marie at their home on I street northwest. Music, dancing and games he features of the evening, and were thor bughly enjoyed. Among the children were a number of her class from the Calvary Baptist Church. She received quite a number of presents from her little friends. The dining room was beautifully decorated with cut flowers and palms. The children marched to the dining room at 9 o'clock, where re-

reshments were served. Mrs. Aline Shane Devin, having returned to Washington and located at 1714 I street northwest, will receive formally on the first and third Thursdays of each month between

Mrs. George D. McCreary will not receive Tuesday, January 30, as she will be in Phil-

adelphia until after February 1. Mrs. W. H. Sholes will be at home the first and second Mondays in February only.

Mrs. Sibley will not be at home next Tuesday nor the first Tuesday in February. Mrs. William Fenwick Mattingly will be at home to callers Thursdays during the

season at her residence on Cedar street, Takoma Park, 3 to 6. Mrs. Giles G. C. Simms will receive on Wednesday, February 14, assisted by her daughters, Mrs. William Fenwick Matting-

Mrs. P. P. Campbell, wife of Representative Campbell of Kansas, will receive Tuesday with Mrs. J. M. Miller at 3213 13th

Mr. and Mrs. Allister Cochrane have taken the house 2819 P street for the sea-son. Mrs. Cochrane will be at home

Miss Emily Belmont, who was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Adler, has returned to her home in Philadelphia.

Women, held a meeting last Sunday in the vestry rooms of the Eighth Street Temple. It was decided that this organization is no lt was decided that this organization is no longer a part of the National Council, and Miss Freda Lindhelmer, president pro tem,, appointed a committee of five to draw up the constitution and by-laws for the new

Louis Jackson and Irwin Hollander have cone to New York for a short stay. Mr. L. Hechinger of Newark, N. J., spent a few days in-this city last week with his sister, Miss Amelia Hechinger.

Stanley Auerbach has returned from visit to New York. Mrs. Moses of Baltimore was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Simon Kann, for a few

A number of their Washington friends were cleverly entertained last Monday night by Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Levy of Duke street, Alexandria. Those present were the Misses Sophie Goldberg, Sarah Rosenthal, Libbey Levy, Rose Rothstein, Ida Levy, Stella Laupheimer, Sarah Levy, Wannie and Levy, Manuel and Levy.

Laupheimer and Messrs. A. Cohen, Joslin, J. Kaufman, H. Steiner and A. Woilberg. Musical selections were rendered by Henry Steiner and Jerome Kaufman.

Miss Ernestine Frank and Miss Edith Auerbach gave a box party at Chase's last Monday afternoon complimentary to the following out-of-town young ladies: Miss Roman of New York, Miss Belmont of Philadelphia, Miss Sigmund of Denver and Miss Garner of Newport News. Miss Kauf-man of this city was also among the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Blout have gone to Atlantic City for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Kann left the city last week for a trip through the Mediterranean sea. They will visit Egypt and other places of interest in the east, and expect to be gone until the first of May.

Mrs. Harry King was the guest of Mrs. S. J. King in New York last week.

Miss Estelle Peyser entertained some friends at a "whist" Wednesday afternoon in honor of her guest, Miss Maud Garner. in honor of her guest, Miss Maud 'Farner. and the following out-of-town young ladies: Miss Jonas of Nashville, Trenn.; Miss Celeste Sigmund of Denver, Col.; Miss Roselle Lesser of Augusta, Ga.; Miss Bessie Cohen and Miss Rose Wheatfield of Baltimore. The prizes were won by Miss Bessie Cohen and Miss Irma Stern. The other guests were Miss Edith Auerbach, Miss Dreyfuss, Miss Woog, the Misses Sanger Miss Sadie Miss Woog, the Misses Sanger, Miss Sadie Silver, Mrs. Meyer Felihelmer, Miss Strauss, Miss Jeanette Gauss, Miss Cora Sommers, Miss Young, the Misses Morris, Miss Irma Stern, Miss Hirsh and Miss Ernestine

Miss Schloss of Roanoke, Va., is the guest of Mrs. S. B. Pack at the "Winches-

Mrs. Harry Abrams, 509 L street north-west, has as her guests Miss Harris of Bal-timore and Miss Nettye Kaufman of Rich-

Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Stern and son Mil-fred will be "at home" to their friends this afternoon in honor of the latter's twenty-first birthday.

Mrs. J. Herzog has returned home, after a short trip to Atlantic City.

Miss Edna Dreyfuss spent a few days ast week with friends in Baltimore. Mrs. Meyer Fellheimer and her sister. Miss Jonas of Nashville, Tenn., returned on Tuesday from a short trip to Baltimore.

Mrs. George Levy, who was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Strauss, has reurned to her home in New York.

Mrs. Harry Goldman of Baltimore is vis-ting Mrs. Sydney C. Kaufman at the Brad-

Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Cohen have sailed for Cuba on a pleasure trip. They will be gone several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Eiseman are visiting relatives in Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Benjamin Held entertained several of her out-of-town friends at a "whist" yesterday afternoon. The decorations were in pink, those of the table being particularly effective with pink carnations and plnk candles. The guests were Miss Nettion Kaufman of Richmond, Va.; Mrs. M. Michels of New York, Mrs. LeRoy of Pittsburg, Miss Aimee Cane of New York, Miss Theresa Hecht of Baltimore, Miss Chronbeimer of Palitimore, Miss Chronbeimer of Palitimore. Harris of Baltimore, Miss Oppenheimer of Baltimore, Miss Julia Dinkelspell of New York, Mrs. Ned Meyer and Mrs. Joseph Kaufman of this city.

Mrs. Harry Kaufman has returned to her home after visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Price of Cumberland spent a few days with relatives in this city last week. Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Adler have as their guest their niece, Miss Blanche Adler

Mrs. A. Kahn of the Marion has returned to the city after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Grossman, in Chicago,

The engagement is announced of Mr. Max Darbrin to Miss Clara Rice of Balfimore. Miss Nellie Behrend, who has had a visit with relatives in New York, returned home on Friday.

Mrs. Leo Robinson of Baltimore was in own with friends last week.

Cards have been received for the wedding on February 14 of Miss Irene Sickle of Chicago and Mr. A. Feist of Newark, N. J. The wedding will take place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Dan Stern, 4336 Grand boulevard, Chicago. After an exten-Newark, where Mr. Felst is in business,

Mrs. I. W. Nordlinger of 1941 Biltmore street will be at home on Fridays.

with relatives in New York. Mr. Dave Samson of Philadelphia is visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Stern at the Regent Hotel.

Gans, Miss Rickie Gans and Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Gans attended the wedding of Miss Rita Gans and Mr. Solomon Sam-son in Baltimore Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Furguson leave this afternoon for New York, from whence they will sail on Thursday for Manila. The Congenials will hold their next

monthly assembly Thursday evening, Feb-

ruary 1, at National Rifles' Armory. Mrs. Clarence R. Dufour and Miss Dufour will be at home Thursday, February I. for the last time this season.

Mrs. George E. Cruse of Fanwood, N. J., is visiting Mrs. George Scharf, 1223 Irving (Kenesaw) street northwest. They will be at home Tuesday, January 30. Mrs. M. P. Saunders and children of Norfolk, Va., have gone home after visiting the sister of the former, Mrs. B. J. Beale, and her mother, Mrs. Roby of 1521 Cor-

The Non-Pariel Euchre Club was enter-tained by Mrs. S. L. Heacock Friday evening at her home on Capitol Hill. Those present were the club members, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Haas, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Heacock, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Broadbent, Misses Verda Knotts, Sallie Rollins, J. Pettit, and Messrs. Jos. Cashell, Claude Bittenbender and Donald Brittle, with Mrs.

guests. The first prizes were won by Mrs. Heacock and Mr. Cashell, the second by Mr. and Mrs. Broadbent, after which re-The following congressional ladies will receive at the Hotel Cairo February 6, from 4 to 6 o'clock: Mrs. J. M. Dixon, Montana; Mrs. J. F. Garner, Texas; Mrs. R. N. Page, North Carolina; Mrs. W. H. Ryan, New York; Mrs. M. B. Madden, Illinois; Mrs. H. M. Snapp, Illinois; Mrs. J. A. Sterling, Illi-nois; Mrs. C. M. Shortell, Missouri; Mrs. Linceln Dixon, Indiana; Mrs. R. W. Bonynge, Colorado.

Mrs. James Lansburgh and Miss Bessle Lansburgh will be at home Monday, Janu-

Buffalo are the house guests of Miss Mary Aukward, 128 D street southeast, where they will be pleased to see their friends informally on Monday, January 29, from 7 to

Miss Briggs and Miss White, grand-daughters of Senator Frye, will be at home at the Hamilton Thursdays, February 1 An unusually pretty wedding took place at Concordia Lutheran Church Wednesday evening, when Miss Marle Elizabeth Plitt and Mr. Harry Frederick Dunkhorst were married by Rev. Paul A. Menzel, pastor of the congregation, assisted by the Rev. C. F. Bergner of Zion Lutheran Church. The assemblage was one of the largest ever known in the church. The bride looked exceptionally well in a lace robe, her yell being

in the church. The bride looked exceptionally well in a lace robe, her veil being caught with illies of the valley. She carried a shower bouquet of the same flower. Miss Kathryn Dunkhorst, as maid of honor, was gowned in white chiffon cloth over rose pink silk, with deep insertion and sash of Chan-

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The weather man evidently disapproved of the Short Story Club, judging by the peltsession January 23, despite which, however, a goodly sized audience enjoyed the program arranged by Mrs. Metcalf. In the absence of President De Coster, Mrs. M. L. Willis presided. The musical numbers were given by the Thomas Mandolin Club, with Miss Becker as planist, and by Mrs. C. L. Macauley, who sang in an Italian selection from the opera of "The Masque Ball." The story of the evening was read by its author, Mrs. W. W. Case, entitled "In the Center Market," in which unromantic spot an old-time servant discovered, amid a throng of curious sightseers, her supposedly dead "young masser" of ante-bellum days, and restored him to his heartbroken mother. Mrs. Mary O. Agnew was at her best in her recital of Mrs. Browning's "Sweetest Eyes Were Ever Seen." Major F. I. Willis read a dramatic account of how he "Attempted to Swap Wives" in the hurry, bustle and dim light of a railroad station bustle and dim light of a railroad station in California a few years ago, where the "unexpected stubbornness" of his supposed wife in obeying his excited commands to "hurry" on board their waiting train was only equaled by the climax, which showed the "woman in the case" to be a—stranger! Mrs. Christine W. Dunlap read two original poems, "Summer Days" and "The Storm-bird." Dr. A. K. P. Harvey put the final touch of humor to the program, pay-Storm-bird." Dr. A. R. P. Harvey put the final touch of humor to the program, paying generous tribute to the recognized humorists of the past and present, quoting at length from the best and brightest droller; es of Mark Twain and Bill Nye. The names of the following nine new members were

added to the club roll: Mr. Jas. M. Flace, miss Rosa M. Flace, Miss Mary A. and Miss Phebe F. Ross, Mrs. M. T. Vaughan, Miss F. D. Fisher, Miss Anna B. Patten, Miss Esther De Coster, Mr. G. F. D. Rollings.

The Unity Club held its bimonthly session last Thursday evening at Pythian Temple Hall. The military setting gave this meet-ing an unusual interest, and a large and appreciative audience was in attendance. The clarion notes of the bugle rang out in the "assembly call," given by Prof. James A. Joyce. This was the prelude to a discourse on the military genius of the great American of his age, Gen. Ulysses S. Grant, by Maj. Joseph W. Wham, entitled "From the Tanner's Bench to the White House." It was a magnificent tribute to the great commander by one who knew and loved him well, and who characterized him as one ander the Great, greater than Caesar,, greater than Henry of Navarre, greater than Napoleon. He never met his Waterloo. Great in war, he was also great in peace. The lecture was interspersed with historical facts and anecdotes, expressed in words tender and true, and at many points it was

punctuated with applause.

The president supplemented it with several humorous stories anent "the silent man." provoking laughter. Gen. John C. Black, civil service commissioner, was then introduced and spoke briefly: "I want to say to my friend, Maj. Wham, and to my friend, Mr. Holden, that I have spent an evening of unusual pleasure in listening to them. Before coming here I attended a reception, where the beauty and fashion of Washing-ton were assembled; brilliant statesmen and lovely women were present; and later on it will be mine to listen to song in its most bewitching strains, but this three-quarters of an hour I have spent in retrospection with this great man, this great soldier, this great general, this great American, great patriot, is like a living picture, and a greater pleasure than that which has gone before or that which is to come." During the recess Maj. Wham and Gen. Black received an ovation. The second part of the entertainment was devoted to musical numpers and recitations. Prof. James A. Joyce played several selections on his cornet Miss Lulu Pistorio gave a piano solo, Mrs. D. J. Roberts, "High Tide in Lincoln-shire," was exceptionally fine. The meeting closed with a duet by Miss May Holtz-man and Miss Mary Lyddane, "Sing Me to Sleep," and further selections on the cor-net by Prof. Joyce. Miss Iowa Hampson was admitted as a member of the club.

The Ladies' Excelsior Literary Society visited the Halls of the Ancients January 23 for continued study in their lessons. In-terest inspired them to move upon the Federation of Women's Clubs in Washington to unite in a final presence in the halls before their closure. Presidents of three of the fourteen clubs in the federation were present and acted as a committee to notify all the societies of an invitation then ten-dered by Mr. Smith to meet in the halls to-day to hear his suggestions and appeal for their co-operation in further effort for aggrandizement of Washington. Accordingly the undersigned public notice of said invithe undersigned public notice of said invi the undersigned public notice of said invitation. They anticipate a large attendance from all the clubs. Members will be received upon presentation of their cards of address and names of one of their friends, ladles or gentlemen, may be added. Mr. Smith will speak in the Assyrian throne room. A photograph will be taken of the audience as a souvenir of the occasion. Mrs. W. L. Willis, president of Excelsior Literary Club; Mrs. F. L. Duffle, press correspondent of the Theosophical Society; Mrs. Edith Sage Emerson, director of the Columbia Heights Emerson, director of the Columbia Heights Art Club; Mrs. M. M. Gordon, late vice president of the Capitol Hill Literary Association.

Mr. Edward P. Harrington delivered a lecture on "A Ramble Through Ireland" on last Monday evening before the faculty, alumnae and senior classes of the Immacualumnae and senior classes of the Immacu-late Conception Academy. The lecture was illustrated. Mr. Harrington has secured about 200 beautiful views of landscape, cities lakes, etc., and most aptly and entertaining-ly described them. The next lecture in the winter course will be given by Rev. John T. Huddle, A. M., who will lecture on "Riley and His Rhymes." Miss Mamle Mullaly is chairman of the lecture committee, and has secured Mr. J. C. Monaghan of the Depart-nient of Commerce and Labor for a later evening in February. Mr. Monaghan's sub-ject will be "Italy and England."

The meeting of the Capitol Hill Literary Society, held Monday evening, January 22, at the residence of Mrs. Marian Guild Walporte, 1131 Park place northeast, was one of the most enjoyable of the year. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Lucile I. Betts, Dr. James McKee, vice president, presided. The subject of emigration was ably and expensively discussed to a marge by Mr.

seph Babcock, followed by remarks from Major Lawrence, Mr. George N. Brown, Mr. Bryson, Mr. Sprecher, Mrs. Trauty, Capt. Hart and others. Mrs. Curtis Elsinger gave a paper, illustrated by drawings, on the subject of "Time." The Misses Newcomagave a plano duet.

Wimodaughsis varied from its usual informal character on Friday of last week by having a program followed by dancing. The having a program followed by dancing. The evening's entertainment was a recital by Miss Hayward, interspersed with music. Mrs. Hanna gave a plano solo, Chopin's "Impromptu;" Mrs. Love sang one of Bischoff's songs; Miss Hayward recited "The Easter Bonnet" and "Corydon;" Miss M. Curtis, a plano solo, "Rondo," by Mendelssohn; Dr. Clark, accompanied by Mrs. Clark, sang a lullaby, "Sing Me to Sleep;" Miss Hayward recited "Mary Ellen Attends a School of Elocution" and "Angelina;" Miss Louise Brinker sang "My Bosary;" Mrs. Louise Brinker sang "My Bosary;" Mrs. Hanna played Bischoff's arrangement of "When You and I Were Young, Maggie;" Mrs. Love sang "Mighty Lak a Rose;" Miss Hayward recited a scene from "Comedy and Tragedy" and "The Milliner's Bill," and Dr. Clark sang "Dreams." There were fre-Dr. Clark sang "Dreams." There were frequent encores generously responded to. The audience tested the capacity of the pariors.

The semi-monthly euchre on Saturday evening, January 20, was a successful affair under the guidance of Mrs. Lohr, chairman. The dressmaking class is planning to take charge of a euchre in February. The children in the junior club are arranging a lit-tle play, and the elecution class, under Miss Bates, is practicing for a public recital.

The Columbia Heights Art Club was entertained at the Portner Thursday by the president, Mrs. Stokes. Mrs. Walhaupter was chalrman of the day. There was the largest attendance of the season of members and thirty visitors. All the presidents of the club since its organistzion were present. Mrs. Emerson brought a message from Mr. Smith of the Halls of the Anclents inviting the clut to visit and to give their aid in preserving to Washington this museum. The first paper on the program of the day was "The Art of Japanese Lacquer Work," given by Mrs. Evelyn Clark Morgan and listened to with much interlacquer is obtained, as well as the whole process of lacquer work, can be seen at the botanical gardens at Kew, near London. A member exhibited a kimono, the work of her own hands, designed from one two hundred years old, embroidered with cherry blossoms and with the fish which is on every royal robe. After much discussion on the subject the historical paper on Queen Elizabeth was read by Mrs. Stokes. The roll-call brought forth many spley re-marks on the "Virgin Queen." Miss Foote interpreted a scene from Sir Walter Scott's "Kenilworth," where Elizabeth meets Lord Leicester in the garden and accuses him of his love for Amy Robsart. For the miscellaneous program Miss Rial sang "Were I a Star" and "May Morning."

A well attended meeting of the Le Droits was held Wednesday night at the home of Miss Anna M. Toepfer, No. 451 H street northwest. A new constitution was adopt ed and the interest manifested by the mem future in store for the organization. Ow Collier, treasurer, an election to fill the vacancy was held and resulted in the unani-mous choice of Mr. Victor Minter, After the conclusion of the business part of the program the entertainment committee, con sisting of Messrs. Minter and Corwin and Miss Toepfer, took charge and successfully conducted an extemporaneous semi-comic debate the subject affirming "that early marriages are profitable to young men." The affirmative view was upheld by Misses Edith Watson, Elizabeth Locke and Emily Shipley. The negative view was defended by Messrs. Beverly Pulliam, Bert E. Corthat their view was the proper one that the vote was unanimous in their favor. Music and games were then indulged in, after which refreshments were served. The club then adjourned to meet Wednesday, February 7, at the home of Miss Grace ters, No. 940 L street northwest. present were: Misses Emily Shipley, Eliza-beth Locke, Grace Walters, Edith Watson, Kate Shipley, Maida Card, Nellle Fielding and Anna M. Toepfer and Messrs, William E. Collier, Karl Locke, Victor Minter, Robin Pulliam, Beverly Pulliam, John Risdon and

At the recent annual meeting of the Muso lit Club of this city Dr. Bruce Evans, principal of the Armstrong Manual Training School, was chosen president for the com-ing year. The object of the club, as stated last year by its founders, Mr. William Haynes, Lieut Clarke, Dr. Arthur Gray and the former president, Frank Cardozo, is to promote social harmony among the mem-bers and their friends. This year it promises to bring a realization of every hope of the organization. The following executive committee has been named. Lieut. Thos H. R. Clarke, Messrs. George Jackson, Shelby Jeames Davidson, Robert Pelham, jr., Garnet C. Wilkinson, Chas. F. M. Browne and

The Excelsior Literary Club met last Tuesday with Mrs. Clara Kalstrom. The subject of the essay of the occasion, 'Nic-coli Macchiavelli," was ably given and discoil Macchiavelli," was ably given and dis-cussed by Mrs. M. Parker and Mrs. Duffle. Music was given by Mrs. Bulla and the hostess sang "Kathleen Mavourneen" by special request of the members. Mrs. Sim-mons gave a short sketch of Francisco Fos-car', followed by Mrs. Robinson, who took for her subject "San Lorenzo."

The N. G. O. Club met January 24 with Mrs. Kaufman, 1205 H street northeast. Mrs. Kaufman, 1205 H street northeast.

Nine members and three visitors were present. The centerpiece embroidered by the ladies of the club for the Department of the Potomac Woman's Relief Corps was drawn by Mrs. Hester, 14 Quincey place northwest.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Washington Hebrew Congregation has arranged to hold a sociable January 29 at 2 p.m. at the Mer-

The Eastern Star Pleasure Club has arranged for a dance and supper tomorrow night to its members and friends at the residence of Mr. H. F. Nalls, 750 7th street

The Trolley Euchre Club was pleasantly entertained by Miss Alice Meyer at her home Saturday night. Miss May Wells and Mr. Robert Kreiter won first prizes end Miss Alice Meyer and Mr. S. Pole the second. All then repaired to the dining room, where a dainty supper was served. Dancing ended the evening's festivities. Those present were the Misses Irene Pole, Bessie Siemle, Jessie Bessie Bissellevre, May Wells and Maud Havenner, the Messrs. S. Pole, H. Hamilton, W. Kimper, E. Potter, R. Kreiter and John Barker.